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Title: COMBINATION BIOMETRIC AND/OR MAGNETIC SENSING
FUNCTIONALITIES AND/OR GPS WITH RADIO FREQUENCY
TRANSPONDER FUNCTIONALITY ON AN INTELLIGENT LABEL

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CONTINUING PATENT APPLICATION
TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is a:

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of the above-identified copending prior application in which no patenting, abandonment, or termination of proceedings has occurred. Priority to the above-identified prior application is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120 for this continuing application. The entire disclosure of the above-identified prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuing application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

Enclosed are:

- Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76) (2 pages).
- Unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages).
- Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (64 pages).
- Informal drawings (6 sheets, Figures 1-12).
- Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages).
- Form PTO-SB/08 (1 page).

The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Filed	Included in Basic Fee	Extra Claims	Rate	Fee Totals
Basic Fee				\$750.00	\$750.00
Total Claims:	96	- 20	= 76	x \$18.00	= \$1,368.00
Independents:	25	- 3	= 22	x \$84.00	= \$1,848.00
If any Multiple Dependent Claim(s) present:				+ \$280.00	= \$0.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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